John Jason, son of John and Celinda Jason, was born in Harrisville town-ship, May 10, 1846, and departed this life Nov. 2, 1917. He was the young-Miss Vesta Richards, March 30, 1869,

est of a family of ten children. His and to them were born three children. age was 71 years, 5 months and 22 Mrs. Jessie Rufner of Friendsville, days.

His was a life of honesty and devotion to all who knew him and in his latter years he took much interest with his grandchildren spending hours at a time with them and acting as one

There are left to mourn his loss, his wife, daughter, two sons, one brother, Elisha of Leroy, relatives, friends and

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, Nov. 4, conducted by Rev. Giffin of Leroy. Burial at Friends-

OBITUARY

Fritz Scharer of near Seville, Ohio, was born ni Bern, Switzerland, May 15, 1861, and departed this life at the pneumonia. The age of the deceased vincingly taught. was 56 years, 5 months and 16 days.

He was united in matrimony to
Rosetta Oberly in October of the year

died in infancy. He leaves to mourn their loss a wife, eight daughters and one son and they are as follows: Mrs. Christ Steiner, Mrs. Pete Hessidence and Mary Scharer, all of Rittman; Mrs. Lester Settin of Akron; Rose, John, Wilma, Lucy, and Minnie Scharer of Seville.

and had five grandchildren. Two sons

The funeral services were held at the home on Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Defoe of the Rittman

Interment was made in the Knupp's

ANSWERS NATION'S CALL

Herbert Hoover having designated the International Live Stock Exposi- expectations as to yield, especially tion a "Food Training Camp," by this in the heart of the Miami Vally Disact drafted this institution into the trict. The quality of the crop as a service of this country. "More meat" whole is just about that of the tenis the appeal of the food administrator. year average. The unusually high To win the war, beef and pork (espec- market prices which prevail give toially the latter will be necessary. bacco a very high place in the list of There is a shortage of meats and fats. profitable crops of the state this year. For years this deficiency has been de-

ing the country along lines of economi ter part of the month interfered seristage several laps ahead of produc- 8 points, tion and the International Live Stock Exposition teaches the way out. More cattle, hogs and sheep of better quality and earlier maturity, insuring maximum weight and minimum expense, is the solution of the problem.

The International Live Stock Exposi tion, which will be held during the first week in December, will this year emhour of 8 o'clock a. m. on November phasize its mission. The problem of of labor. 1, 1917, after an illness of ten days, the moment is more food and in no Death resulted from an attack of other way can the lesson be more con-

OHIO CROP SUMMARY 1885. They came to America in 1889. As a result of frosts and lack of He is the father of eleven children proper curing weather during the past As a result of frosts and lack of month, the Ohio corn crop suffered some reduction in yield and a material reduction in quality. The quality of thecrop. especially, is very disappointing indeed, being one of the lowest on record, and the feeding value has undoubtedly been impaired to a considerable extent. Close of month found but slightly more than half the crop fit to be husked and but a small percentage in condition to be cribbed or marketed Inquiry as to the percentage of last year's corn crop left on farms November 1 found that the crop had been more closely used up than probably any other in our history. The tobacco crop generally exceeded

While the early potato crop generveloping. During that period the In- ally yielded heavily, the yield of the

ternational Live Stock Exposition has late crop is not proving so satisfactory. Inclement weather during the lat cal production; otherwise supply con- ously with the harvesting of the late ditions in this emergency would have crop, and the close of the month found been even less favorable. This season the bulk of crop yet to be harvested. a great drive for immediate increase The average yield of the crop as a in production will be made. The mo- whole is about 16 bu. per acre above ment is opportune and conditions ripe. the ten-year average, while the quality Consumption of meats has reached a exceeds the ten-year average by about

Apples proved to be about one-third of a crop this year, with quality somewhat below the average. Reports indicate that orchards were probably neglected to a greater extent than usual during the past season, a condition which may be attributed in part to the increased cost of spraying materials and the pronounced shortage

SCRAPPLE A GREAT DISH

In these days of wheat and meat him. conservation, suggestions of ways to extend meat flavor are welcome. A dish which has a strong meaty flavor is particularly satisfying when com-bined with some bulky food, such as cornmeal or other cereal. It is escornmeal or other cereal. It is especially satisfactory as well as relative ly high in food value. This is the type of dish too, which, combined with fruit or green vegetables, forms a desirable meal combination. Such a one is well exemplified in "scrapple," the dish so common among the "Pennsylvania Dutch." It is a combination of meat scraps and broth with commeal meat scraps and broth with cornmeal and needs thorough cooking. Use % cup of cornmeal, salt and pepper and 1-3 pound of pork with bone (shoulder neck or ham shank). Cook the pork in water until the meat can be easily removed from the bone. Remove the meat. Boil down the broth to about a quart or add water to bring it up to this amount. Cook the cornmeal in this. Add meat finely chopped, and seasonings. Pour into pans; when cold, cut in slices and brown in hot fat.— Rhoda E. Dick, Agricultural College Extension Service.

WOMAN AGENT TO HELP SOLVE HOME PROBLEMS

Emergency appropriations recently made by Congress provide funds for the employment of a home demonstration agent both in cities and rural communities. This agent arranges for ectures and demonstrations on such topics as foods, clothing, shelter, sani-tation, health, household management and home decoration.

She cooperates with the schools of the county in carrying on school lunches, boys' and girls' club work and similar school enterprises. Her services are also to be had as advisor to similar school enterprises. Her services are also to be had as advisor to county authorities on all questions of food, sanitation and health in county they are familiar with the locality

During the period of the war emergency, she will give attention to the problems growing out of the situation and will do what she can to aid agencles charged with the assistance of the government.

Already a number of these agents Off through the woods the dogs have been employed in cities and for dash. Probably to a high tree, maybe rural communities. In the rural communities, the work of this agent with the women correspondents to that of the county agricultural agent with the men, and her office is maintained in connection with that of the agricultural agent.

Information as to how one of t agents may be obtained may be had from the Agricultural College Extension Service, Columbus, O.

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HUNTERS STIRRING

The legal season for hunting rac-coon opened Thursday, Nov. 15, and ends Feb. 1. The fur is considered prime. Hunters hereabouts who own trained dogs were all out the first

If you were reared in the country, or lived there at any portion of your life, or if you had country cousins to visit, then you have experienced the fun of coon hunting, writes R. L. Den-ton, in the Chardon Republican.

In cold climates the coon generally hibernates, seeking his hole in the dead limb of some high tree when the weather gets cold. He is usually fat then, for, like the bear, he eats heartily before seeking his winter's quar-ters. So late in the fall, when the air is crisp and cold, is the time to hunt

A half dozen boys and men, with as many dogs or more, will start out through the woods and fields. The dogs scatter and run over the ground scatter and run over the trail. A real coon dog will not bother with the trail of a possum, and so if some dog not expert in coon hunting strikes a trail and immediately lets out a sharp yelp of delight, the veteran is put on the trail, and if he decides it is a coon, then the hunt is on.

But oftentimes the real enemy of the coon and possum hunter appears to break up the hunt—the skunk. Many and many a party has gone out to hunt when the dogs would run into a prowling polecat, and no matter how many times a dog has run into the same species of animal before, he is bound to attack it. Then "giod night" to the hunt, for after the encounter with the skunk the dogs are unable to take up any trail.

But once on the trail of some predatory coon, the dogs set up baying and are off, with the hunters in close pursuit. Very often the trail is found on the bank of some stream, for Br'er Coon is something of a fisher-

Off through the woods, sometimes through dense underbrush, the trail will lead. And as soon as the coon hears the sound of pursuit he begins zigzigging about, in an effort to confuse his pursuers. But he is not as sly as the fox, nor is he an adept at

confusing the dogs.

Perhaps he will make for a creek or river and swim across, for he can swim as well as any dog. Then the dogs will plunge in and swim over, and once on the other side, will begin running up and down the bank hunt-

they generally know where some canoe is hidden along the banks, and they cross in this. But Br'er Coon had gained by his aquatic feat, for he can go on while the dogs lose valuable time. But suddenly a sharp yelp and the trail is found.

an oak, a poplar or a sycamore, and here at its foot they take their stand, heads up and baying loudly and

fiercely.

Now how to get the coon?

Sometimes a huge fire is built, and then every one tries to catch a glimpse

Maybe he can't be seen from the ground, and someone volunteers to climb the tree. He locates him and then comes down, and the coon is shot out. More often the hunter "shines" the coon from the ground, which is done by placing a lantern on your head and looking up into the tree, where the coon's eyes, glistening like two balls of fire, are plainly seen. Occasionally a wounded coon springs down to the ground, where the dogs are, and then comes the climax to the

For Br'er Coon is a fighter and he is as fierce as a bear. It often takes more than one dog to dispose of him, too. Perhaps he will make his escape from the dogs after tearing the jaws and hides of some with his sharp teeth and claws, and then off he'll go through the woods, probably making toward the stream again. If he reaches it before the dogs catch him he gains a new respite, but if he was wounded in the first encounter, and cannot move swiftly, then the will catch him again, and it will be a fight to the bitter death.

A good-sized swamp coon can make it uncomfortable for a half dozen dogs, and seldom it is that any of them come out of an encounter unscarred.

Many persons will not eat coon, but a young one, baked, makes a delicious dish, far, far better than the highly

esteemed possum.

And, incidentally, the coon is a much cleaner animal than the possum in its

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In pursuance of law, I, Chas. Frank, Treasurer of Medina County, Ohio, hereby give notice that the number of Mills levied on each dollar of property listed for taxation with Medina County for the year 1917 is as follows:

For State Purposes: Sinking Fund, .0025 mills; Ohio State University, .0925 mills; State Common School Fund, .055 mills; State Highway Improvement Fund, .300 mills; Total State Levy, .45 mills. For County Purposes: General, .79 mills; Poor, .08 mills; Bridge, .57 mills; Building, .06 mills; Indigent Soldiers, .03 mills; Blind Relief, .03 mills; Road Repair, Sec. 6956-I. .11 mills; Pike Repair, Sec. 1222, .31 mills; Road Improvement, Sec. 6926, .42 mills; Judicial, .06 mills; Agricultural Society, .03 mills; Mother's Pension, .06 mills; Total County Levy, 2.55 mills.

TOWNSHIP PURPOSES

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1. Each person charged with taxes for the year 1917 on the tax duplicate of Medina County is required by law to pay one-half of said taxes on or before the 20th day of December, 1917, and the remaining half on or before the 20th day of June, 1918 following, but may at his option pay the full amount of such taxes on or before the 20th day of December, 1917, and when not so paid penalty attaches.

2. Real estate on which any portion of the taxes for 1916 remains unpaid will be sold on the second Tuesday in February, 1918, unless the taxes are paid before that date for such unpaid portions, and the entire taxes unpaid for 1916. Taxes delinquent from last June, 1917, should be paid on or before December 20th,1917 to avoid property being advertised for sale.

Property stands charged on the County Treasurer's books in the name of the owner on April 8, 1917, and the duplicate delivered to the County Treasurer in the fall remains unchanged for one year. List day for personal property April 8, 1917.

Bring or send your last tax receipts or complete list of your property. This will be a help to us and avoid errors.

When writing for statement, or remitting for taxes atamped envelope should accommany request and received.

When writing for statement, or remitting for taxes, stamped envelope should accompany request, and property must be clearly designated as to ownership, location and township.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Tax payers are also notified that the treasurer will not be held responsible for any money deposited with outside parties for payment of taxes until placed in the hands of the treasurer when his receipt will be given for the same.

When you pay your taxes, be sure and pay on all your property, as this is your business and not the business of the treasurer. The school levy given opposite each township applies to all the property of the township school district including the attached territory of other

Includes additional levy authorized by vote of the people. Office hours: 7:30 a. m. to 4 p. m., Central Standard Time. Saturdays close at noon.